GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Backward Classes Welfare Department – Appraisal Report of V & E – Irregularities in disbursement of BC Scholarship in Government and Private Colleges - Disciplinary action against Sri K.B.Sunkanna, DBCWO (Retd.,) – Further action dropped – Orders – Issued.

BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE (D2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 170 **Dated: 16-12-2016**

Read the following:-

1. Appraisal Report No.98 (C.No.1045/D2/2009, Dt.10.09.2013 from the Director General, (V&E) & E.O.Prl.Secretary to Govt., A.P., Hyderabad.
2. Govt., Memo No.4479/Vig.Cell/A2/2013-1, Dated.10.10.2013.
3. From the Commissioner, B.C.Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad Lr.Rc.No.B1/6991/2013, Dt.07.11.2013.
4. From the Commissioner, B.C.Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad Lr.Rc.No.E/7331/2013, Dt.04.12.2014.
5. Govt., Memo No.4479/Vig.Cell/A2/2013-2, Dated.23.09.2015.
6. From the Director, B.C.Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad Lr.Rc.No.E/7331/2013, Dated.11.03.2016.

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, The GA (V & E) Dept., have informed that the Vigilance and Enforcement Officials have conducted surprise inspection on irregularities in disbursement of BC Scholarship amounts to the students in the Government and Private Colleges and found certain irregularities in disbursement of BC Scholarship during the year 2007 -08 and 2008-09. Among other findings in the report, the findings of GA (V& E) Dept., in respect of Sri K.B.Sunkanna are as follows :

> "It is found that the District B.C.Welfare Officer, Chittoor has sanctioned excess amount of Rs.94,04,630/- to 8 educational institutions. It is observed that the amount is sanctioned over and above the proposals received from the institutions which include dual sanction, sanction to management quota students and NRI quota students also. However, excess amount received by the institutions was refunded by the Principals to Government by way of challans."

2. In the reference 2nd read above, among other things, the Director, B.C.Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad was requested to obtain explanation of Sri K.B.Sunkanna, the then DBCWO (now retired) whose negligence and supervisory lapses were pointed out by the V & E officials and verify the explanations with the available records and furnish the remarks.

3. The Commissioner, B.C.Welfare while enclosing the explanation of the individual has reported that, the individual has submitted his explanation stating that "it is true that the excess amount sanctioned to eight (8) Colleges as pointed out by the Vigilance & Enforcement Officials and the same amount was remitted back to Government account through the Treasury by the concerned Principals. The amount remitted challans in original were also verified by the Vigilance & Enforcement Officials." The method of sanction was changed from

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manual to online system. Due to non-availability of sufficient technical staff, the concerned Principals send the proposals through the ABCWOs to DBCWOs. At the time of financial year ending, to submit the bills to treasury it was sanctioned by the concerned DBCWO who is working at that time by mistake. It is further informed that the individual joined as DBCWO on 11.02.2009 at the ending of the financial year. The individual has also informed about action taken by him against the Principals to remit the excess amount to Government. As such there is no monetary loss caused to Government. Hence, the individual has requested to drop further action in the matter.

4. The Commissioner, B.C.Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad has informed that the individual has retired from Government service and the excess sanctioned amount was already remitted to Government account as recorded by Vigilance & Enforcement Officials. Hence, he has requested the Government to take further necessary action in the matter.

5. Government after careful examination of the matter in detail have decided to drop further action against Sri K.B.Sunkanna, DBCWO (Retd.,), Kurnool District on humanitarian grounds. Accordingly further disciplinary action against Sri K.B.Sunkanna, DBCWO (Retd.,), Kurnool District is hereby dropped.

6. The Director, B.C.Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada shall take further necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

G.ANANTHA RAMU
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC)

To
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B.C.Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad.
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The DBCWO, Kurnool District.
The DG (V& E), (V&E) & E.O.Prl.Secretary to Govt., A.P., Hyderabad.
The APVC, A.P.Secretariat, Velagapudi, Amaravathi.
The Accountant General, A.P., Hyderabad.
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